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In re Application of:

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AMENDMENT BEING FILED WITH RCE IN RESPONSE TO **FINAL OFFICE ACTION DATED JANUARY 21, 2009**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 21, 2009, having a shortened statutory period for response set to expire on April 21, 2009, Applicant is filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE). Please enter this response and reconsider the claims pending in the application for reasons discussed below. A fee of \$810.00 is due in connection with this response for Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and is being paid by credit card. Although Applicant believes that no additional fees are due in connection with this response, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge counsel's Deposit Account No. 20-0782/NVDA/P000654/JCC for any fees, including extension of time fees or excess claim fees, required to make this response timely and acceptable to the Office.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper. Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. **Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.